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1. For what it is worth, allow me to pass the following gossip picked up during a recent contact with AECASSOWARY 2:

a. ~~Igor~~ Igor STAROSOLSKIY. This gentleman, an engineer, is ~~alleged~~ alleged to be today the chief of the ~~hydro~~ hydroelectric station in Kuybishev, USSR. Igor was allegedly born in the Western Ukraine, was arrested during World War II by the Soviets and deported to Siberia. Sometime after World War II, he is alleged to have been rehabilitated, under certain limitations, and received the post he now has. Igor is in correspondence now with his brother, Yuriy ~~STAROSOLSKIY~~, who allegedly works for the ~~Slavonic~~ Slavonic Section of the Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

b. ~~Vnu~~ OCHERED. According to AECASSOWARY 2, Vasil ~~BARKA~~, a Ukrainian poet now in the United States, and whose real last name is OCHERED, has a brother in the Soviet Union who is a mathematician and a specialist at ~~air~~ cartography. ~~Vnu~~ OCHERED comes from the Lubny area of the Ukraine and lived and worked for years in Dnepropetrovsk. He allegedly was imprisoned by the MVD, and forced to work for them in air cartography because of his ~~alleged~~ talents.

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